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REPORT OF THE SCHOOL BOARD.

We respectfully present to the inhabitants of the town, the following annual report of our schools for the past year. The school house in No. 7 has been suitably repaired, leaving that in No. 8 the only one not in comfortable condition at the present time.

Our aim has been to have three terms of ten weeks each; the exceptions, which are noted in the statistical tables, were due to sickness or other local causes. As in previous years it has seemed best in some cases to furnish accommodations in neighboring schools — a course which has not been determined wholly by the number of pupils, but also by the opportunities for transportation and the advantages to be obtained in other localities. It is well known that larger schools offer many advantages. Better teachers can be secured, greater unity of method and purpose attained, and increased interest on the part of pupils assured. On the other hand there is a natural reluctance to having the old school house vacated, and our children taken to more distant ones. To adjust these conflicting interests is often the most difficult problem the school board has to solve. The past school year has been one of very satisfactory results. Nearly every teacher has deserved commendation for faithful and well directed work, and there has been a commendable degree of unity in their support. There is an increasing willingness to yield individual preference to the general good, for no school attains the highest success without the co-operation of all its patrons. Yet it would still further help the cause of good education if parents would visit the schools more frequently and thus know by actual observation what is being done for their children.

The true end for which our common schools are supported cannot be attained to its fullest extent except by prompt and regular attendance. Without it a very large share of the possible benefits is lost. We would say to every pupil, be punctual in attendance; obedient and studious, and remain in school as long as possible. Many young people regret when too late that they did not better improve these privileges, for then they could have obtained more desirable positions, and have avoided many embarrassments with which they now meet.

Every term given to faithful study will repay the effort a hundred fold in after life. Regrets are the sure fruit of misspent time.

A liberal education is desirable for all, and as a great majority never attend the academy, it is our duty to make the common schools as effi-

cient as possible. They should be supported by a public sentiment which is the outgrowth of careful study of all the interests involved.

Let all work together for the highest educational development of our children, and the result will be as satisfactory to us as it is beneficial to them. Good progress has attended the grammar school during the year. The winter term was prolonged two weeks, partly by private subscription. We think it would be to the advantage of our more advanced scholars to avail themselves of the advantages of this higher grade school.

S. A. MITCHELL,
GEO. A. MAYO,
C. H. COOKE,
School Board of Alstead.

SCHOOL TREASURER'S REPORT.

Balance in treasury, March 1, 1892,		$ 260 54
Received of W. W. Dinsmore, collector,		1300 00
" F. J. Marvin, literary fund,		216 25
" F. J. Marvin raised for repairs,		200 00
" S. A. Mitchell, for old windows,		5 00
" town of Langdon, tuition,		22 20
		$2003 99
Paid orders as drawn by the board of education,	$1739 19	
Cash on hand,	264 80	—2003 99

SUMMARY.

Amount of money received,		$2003 99
Wages paid teachers including board,	$1387 37	
Paid for fuel,	40 00	
transportation,	81 75	
repairs,	154 09	
care of houses,	20 00	
cleaning school houses,	11 75	
incidentals,	13 08	
Acworth tuition,	23 85	
Gilsum "	7 30	
Cash on hand,	264 80	—2003 99

We, the undersigned, a board of auditors for the town of Alstead to examine the accounts of the officers of said town, hereby certify that we have attended to the duties assigned us and find the accounts of the treasurer of the school district properly cast and balanced and with proper vouchers therefor.

HENRY A. LOVELL,
A. R. EMERSON.

Alstead, N. H., March 1, 1893.

ROLL OF HONOR.

PERFECT ATTENDANCE FOR THREE TERMS.

Etta E. Cooke, Lillian G. Chandler, Lena E. Cooke, Lottie L. Cooke, Dean O. Cooke, Leslie P. Forristall, Florence M. Forristall, Alice G. Mayo.

FOR TWO TERMS.

Mabel Chandler, Agnes Dinsmore, Bessie Webster, Frank Kingsbury, Edna Wiggin, Susie Porter, Evelina Page, Aurilla Bean, Lester Gates, L. Etta Cady, George E. Newman, Jr.

FOR ONE TERM.

Amy Dodge, Eddie Reed, Albert Mack, Matthew Abbott, Willie Abbott, Blanche Chapin, Clarence Newman, Josie Trow, Roland Buss, Aldis Lovell, Lucia Turner, Harley Chandler, Richard Wilder, Albert Ellis, Irva Cater, Carrie Cater, Florence Putnam, Frances Putnam, Fred Gratto, Mabel Bingham, Warren Porter, Beatrice Porter, Constance Porter, Phebe Bolio, Charles Blake, Fred Hodgkins, Fred Porter, Hattie Porter, Bernice Smith, Margie Burrows, Myrtie Maddock, Lizzie Burrows, Flora B. Howard, Bernard C. Johnson, Irwin Page.

TABLE.

Division.	First Term.					Second Term.					Third Term.				
	Absences in half-days.	Instances of tardiness.	Visitors.	Visits by board.	Perfect attendance.	Absences in half-days.	Instances of tardiness.	Visitors.	Visits by board.	Perfect attendance.	Absences in half-days.	Instances of tardiness.	Visitors.	Visits by board.	Perfect attendance.
No. 4 Grammar	139	11	40	2	5	158	12	35	2	5	299	26	49	2	6
No. 4 Primary.	224	9	22	2	4	58	15	54	2	9	145	16	55	1	7
No. 5.	126	6	17	3	6	62	19	23	3	2	44	3	7	2	3
No. 6.	35	6	21	2	4	3		10	2	9	85	6	17	2	4
No. 7.	20	59	17	3	3	37	7	19	2	2	55	9	12	3	3
No. 8.	26	16	24	3	2										
No. 10.	71	8	29	4	2	64	7	3	2	1	22	8	8	2	1
No. 12.	147	18	43	3	3	186	26	23	2	3	127	24	14	2	1

STATISTICAL TABLE.

	Schools.	Name of Teacher.	No. of Weeks.	No. of Scholars.	No. of Scholars over 15 years.	Av. Attendance.	Reading.	Spelling.	Penmanship.	Arithmetic.	Geography.	Grammar.	History.	Composition.	Physiology.	Higher Br'nch's	Vocal Music.	Wages per Mo., including board.	Cost for scholar per month.
Summer Term.	No. 4	Caroline M. Comstock.	10	24	4	23	24	24	24	19	5	18	16	24	13		24	$31 00	$1 29
	No. 4	Mary G. Riley.	10	25		24	25	19	19	19	14							28 00	1 12
	No. 5	Mrs. M. E. Linsley.	10	17	1	15	10	8	16	16	9		4	6		6		20 00	1 17
	No. 6	Lizzie H. Brown.	10	15		12	15	15	15	13	6	3			4			19 00	1 26
	No. 7	Lora E. Newton.	10	12		12	12	12	12	10	7	4	2		5		12	22 00	1 83
	No. 8	Luella Farnsworth.	10	7		6	7	7	6	6	3	3						21 00	3 00
	No. 10	Kathrena Barrett.	10	11	1	9	4	4	5	5	3	4				1		18 00	1 63
	No. 12	Lillian M. Thurston.	10	17	2	16	17	17	14	13	10	2	5		1		17	29 00	1 70
Fall Term.	No. 4	Caroline M. Comstock.	10	23	7	22	23	23	23	22	12	20	16	23	14	4	23	32 00	1 39
	No. 4	Mary Lyman Finlay.	9	23		22	23	19	23	14	12							28 50	1 24
	No. 5	May L. Kempton.	10	18		16	18	18	10	16	6	4	4			2		21 00	1 16
	No. 6	Mary E. Alden.	10	11		10	10	10	10	8	7	3						20 00	1 81
	No. 7	Lora E. Newton.	8	13	1	13	13	13	13	11	4	4	2		3		13	22 00	1 70
	No. 10	Kathrena Barrett.	10	8		7	7	7	7	3	3	2	2	7				19 00	2 37
	No. 12	Lillian M. Thurston.	10	22	2	21	22	22	22	18	11	8	1		1	3	17	29 00	1 32
Winter Term	No. 4	John Gault.	12	25	12	22	25	25	25	24	3	17	14		11	3	25	36 66	1 46
	No. 4	Mary Lyman Finlay.	10	26		23	26	21	26	15	12							30 00	1 15
	No. 5	Lora A. Washburn.	7	11		10	10	11	11	10	6	4	4			1		24 00	2 18
	No. 6	Cathren W. Barrett.	10	10		9	10	10	10	8	7	4			2			20 00	2 00
	No. 7	Nettie S. Morrison.	10	11	2	11	11	11	11	10	7	1	6		3			26 00	2 36
	No. 10	Eva L. Howard.	7	7		5	7	7	7	3	3	2	2	7				17 00	2 43
	No. 12	J. E. Shean.	10	18	4	18	18	18	13	18	15	12		17	13	5		29 00	1 61

REPORT OF THE SELECTMEN

FOR YEAR ENDING MAR. 1, 1893.

VALUATION OF THE TOWN APRIL 1, 1892.

Real estate,	$355,328 00
212 polls,	21,200 00
346 horses,	24,883 00
96 oxen,	4,475 00
516 cows,	11,040 00
191 neat stock,	2,999 00
1,265 sheep,	4,331 00
7 hogs,	50 00
15 carriages,	1,230 00
Stock in public funds,	950 00
Stock in banks,	25,000 00
Stock in corporations out of state,	1,000 00
Money on hand, at interest, etc.,	24,734 00
Stock in trade,	20,550 00
Mills and machinery,	11,550 00
	$509,320 00

Rate of taxation $1.20 on $100.

AMOUNT OF TAX REQUIRED BY LAW AND VOTE OF TOWN AND PRECINCT.

State tax,	$1,385 00
County tax,	1,131 77
School district tax,	200 00
School tax for support of schools,	1,300 00
Money raised for town charges,	500 00
Highway tax,	1,300 00
Money raised for furniture of town hall,	50 00
Percentage,	245 07
Dog tax,	61 00
	$6,172 84

ORDERS ISSUED—ORDINARY TOWN CHARGES.

F. L. Prentiss, services as town clerk	in 1891,	825 00
A. R. Emerson, services as selectman	" "	53 00
A. R. Emerson, services as funding committee	" "	11 00
E. A. Turner, Est., services as selectman	" "	60 00
F. J. Marvin, services as treasurer	" "	45 00
J. F. Dickey, services as selectman	" "	80 00
F. D. Messer, " " "	" "	90 00
Geo. A. Mayo, services on school board	" "	28 00
S. A. Mitchell, " " " "	" "	20 00
C. H. Cooke, " " " "	" "	35 00
Jas. A. Brown, services as building committee	" "	10 00
G. C. Webster, " " " "	" "	6 00
J. S. Prouty, services as funding committee	" "	4 00
H. D. Dickey, services as auditor	" "	2 00
C. E. Cooke, " " "	" "	2 00
H. A. Lovell, " " "	" "	2 00
A. G. Allen, services as dog constable in 1891,		5 00
Geo. M. Howard, services as police officer in 1891,		6 00
Geo. H. Powers, returning births and deaths in 1891,		75
Lewis & Knights, freight on chairs,		2 80
Geo. H. Burroughs, service as police officer, 1891,		8 00
John F. Dickey, collector's book,		90
Sentinel Printing Co., printing town reports,		28 00
Cheshire Chair Co., chairs,		36 00
W. W. Dinsmore, abatement on Rawson watering trough,		3 00
Batchelder & Faulkner, expenses on the Gilsum road,		15 75
Leslie K. Osborne, abatement for watering trough,		2 00
John P. Kemp, " "		2 00
Henry W. Porter, " " and work,		4 00
L. A. Barrus, " poll tax,		1 20
Henry Wiley, " "		1 20
Chas. Ellis, " watering trough,		2 00
J. G. Bellows, counsel in Gilsum road and Bourette cases,		30 00
Boliyar Lovell, " " " " "		31 00
Osgood & Barker, guard rail,		6 58
W. W. Dinsmore, land for cemetery,		125 00
I. A. Loveland, returning births and deaths in 1891,		1 25
A. J. Chandler, abatement for watering trough,		2 00
C. A. Milliken, " " 1891 and 1893,		4 00
C. S. Chandler, painting bridges and booths,		23 00
F. J. Marvin, wood and oil for town hall,		4 00
F. J. Marvin, paint for bridges,		17 36

F. J. Marvin, check list and recording deed,	2 37
J. Stratton Walker, oil and chimneys for town hall,	3 75
Orr Wallace, driving hearse and making burial permits,	29 75
Orr Wallace, services as supervisor,	9 00
Geo. E. Hill, " "	6 00
F. L. Prentiss, stationery,	4 00
F. L. Prentiss, recording births, deaths and marriages,	5 20
J. S. Prouty, cash paid for counsel,	2 00
W. W. Dinsmore, abatement of tax,	4 24
W. W. Dinsmore, services as collector,	80 00
R. E. Gates, abatement for watering trough,	2 00
Daniel Goodenow, returning births and deaths,	2 50
Marshall Perkins, " " "	50
Ernest R. Mack, damages for injuries on highway,	55 00
Geo. A. Mayo, services on school board,	28 00
S. A. Mitchell, " " "	20 00
C. H. Cooke, " " "	35 00
C. H. Cooke, janitor for town hall,	15 00
F. J. Marvin, services as treasurer,	45 00
F. J. Marvin, " supervisor,	6 00
F. L. Prentiss, " town clerk,	25 00
A. G. Allen, " dog constable,	5 00
G. M. Rogers, iron work in town hall,	2 25
J. F. Dickey, abatement for watering trough,	3 00
J. F. Dickey, stove, table and booths in town hall,	29 85
J. F. Dickey, cash paid counsel and expenses to court,	12 00
G. H. Powers, returning births and deaths,	1 25
H. O. Webster, care of public library,	18 00
W. O. Blake, burying horse,	3 90
	$1291 35

HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES.

F. W. Clarke, breaking roads,	$ 7 50
Jas. W. Ross, "	4 85
Jas. A. Brown, "	2 08
George E. Newman, work on highway in 1891,	16 66
F. D. Messer, work on highway and cash paid,	150 00
Warren W. French, work on highway and cash paid,	150 00
Erastus Smith, " "	64 50
Arthur Putnam, " "	19 00
F. D. Messer, " " and cash paid,	109 15
Geo. E. Cater, " "	8 75
H. A. Clough, " "	3 00
Orr Wallace, " "	47 93
F. P. Lyman, " "	7 30

Warren W. French, work on highway and cash paid,	112 10
A. R. Emerson, " " "	36 48
F. D. Messer, " bridge and lumber,	29 75
C. D. Smith, " highway,	9 00
Geo. M. Reed, " "	6 30
Nicholas Vancelette, " "	24 00
Lewis & Knights, " "	42 83
Frank R. Bates, " "	4 00
J. F. Dickey, " " and cash paid,	40 30
Henry Thayer, breaking roads,	2 60
W. W. Dinsmore, work on highway,	2 25
J. S. Prouty, cash, B. Supple, K. Austin, E. P. Hatch, work on highway,	33 25
F. D. Messer, work on high bridge hill,	100 00
F. D. Messer, lumber for bridge,	39 09
Nicholas Vancelette, work on highway,	3 00
Henry A. Clough, work on highway,	16 00
Edward Allen, " " in 1891,	13 08
George E. Holmes, bridge plank,	43 50
Jas. L. Nash, work on highway,	2 25
A. G. Allen, bridge timber,	7 20
Andrew Morrison, work on highway,	46 50
A. M. Bragg, " "	5 50
W. R. Howard, " " 1891,	21 10
George E. Cater, " " and cash paid,	12 50
J. S. Prouty, cash paid E. P. Hatch and George Sherwin,	50 05
Jas. A. Brown, work on highway,	6 75
Erastus Smith, " "	14 40
Franklin O. Cady, " "	2 00
David Royce, " "	6 60
A. R. Emerson, " " and cash paid,	5 45
A. A. Clark, " "	3 00
J. P. Forristall, " "	24 45
D. F. Brown, " "	7 80
Orr Wallace, " " and cash paid,	11 55
Stephen Slade, " "	28 11
A. J. Chandler, " "	1 50
Warren Alden, " "	27 17
Chas. W. Reed, " "	3 25
F. O. Cady, " "	5 25
C. A. Milliken, " "	1 35
G. G. Banks, bridge plank,	35 36
D. P. Scanlan, breaking roads,	3 75
John Webster, "	45

John Royce, breaking roads,	2 63
Thomas Dinsmore, "	24 20
N. B. Howard, "	1 00
George E. Cater, "	5 70
Orr Wallace, "	4 25
Frank Bolio, "	12 60
Chas. Moulthroup, "	2 43
Chas. E. Porter, "	2 70
Walter E. Willson, "	3 00
Chas. Willson, "	1 50
Franklin O. Cady, "	16 50
J. S. Prouty, work on highway and cash paid,	83 59
W. W. Dinsmore, breaking roads,	4 75
W. O. Blake, "	14 25
R. E. Gates, "	7 20
Leland D. Still, "	1 50
John N. Hodskins, "	1 50
Frank W. Clark, "	16 55
Maland Ellis, "	2 18
G. G. Banks, "	5 25
Jas. Jackson, "	2 70
F. D. Messer, " and cash paid,	23 70
Clough Bros., "	31 95
Chas. E. Ellis, "	2 70
C. H. Cooke, work on highway, 1891,	3 90
A. J. Chandler, breaking roads and cash paid,	17 77
George Burroughs, "	10 65
Lewis & Knights, "	12 00
M. L. Richardson, "	2 30
H. W. Raymond, "	3 15
E. Griffin, "	60
F. E. Burroughs, "	2 32
Arthur Putnam, "	22 45
J. D. Smith, "	24 00
J. F. Dickey, cutting ice,	1 50
J. S. Prouty, cash paid G. S. Wilder and Fred Smith breaking roads,	4 40
Andrew Morrison, work on highway, in 1891,	3 87
Erastus Smith, breaking roads,	16 05
J. H. Porter, "	10 35
E. P. Hatch, "	22 87
	$1913 85

TOWN PAUPERS.

Nancy Smith, support Abigail Nash,	$9 29
Eunice Howard, board and care Wm. Cady,	9 00
F. D. Messer, goods and supplies for Geo. M. Howard,	11 37
Eunice Howard, board and care Wm. Cady,	20 00
Chas. E. Ellis, " " " " "	6 75
James A. Linsley, digging grave " "	3 00
Nancy Smith, board and care Abigail Nash,	35 00
Daniel Goodenow, medical attendance Wm. Cady,	17 00
Daniel H. Still, care Wm. Cady in last sickness,	10 50
E. F. Fifield, care H. C. Harrington,	7 50
Orr Wallace, coffin for Wm. Cady,	13 00
Daniel Goodenow, medical attendance H. C. Harrington,	20 00
Nancy Smith, board and care Abigail Nash,	35 00
Orr Wallace, digging grave H. C. Harrington,	3 00
J. F. Dickey, casket for " " "	14 00
Lucy A. Watts, board and care H. C. Harrington in last sickness,	50 00
Nancy Smith, board and care Abigail Nash,	35 00
Prentiss & Marvin, boots for Geo. M. Howard,	2 75
I. A. Loveland, medical attendance Geo. M. Howard,	3 00
R. H. Burr, service at funeral town paupers,	6 00
F. J. Marvin, goods for G. M. Howard,	12 11
Marshall Perkins, medical attendance on town paupers,	7 00
Eliza Barney, boarding John Mead,	4 00
Nancy Smith, board and care Abigail Nash,	25 00
H. O. Webster, medicine for town paupers,	4 90
	$364 20

Jas. A. Brown, boarding Roseltha Keyes,	$ 5 00
Eliza Barney, " Harvey Barney,	7 50
" " " " "	6 00
" " " " "	36 00
" " " " "	28 00
Jas. A. Brown, " Roseltha Keyes,	28 50
" " " " "	19 00
H. B. Chapin, keeping two tramps,	1 50
	$131 50

DEPENDENT SOLDIERS.

F. J. Marvin, goods furnished Chas. Moultroup,	$11 06
H. A. Lovell, " " " "	5 53
Prentiss & Marvin, " " "	9 32
H. P. Abbott, meat " " "	1 53

F. J. Marvin, flour furnished Chas. Moultroup,	28 00
C. M. Lufkin, medical attendance " "	6 20
Geo. M. Howard, 2d, care and expense B. O. Marvin's last sickness,	15 00
J. F. Dickey, casket and funeral expenses B. O. Marvin,	15 00
Daniel Goodenow, medical attendance, " " "	5 50
F. J. Marvin, goods delivered Chas. Moultroup,	22 50
H. A. Lovell, " " " "	12 30
	$131 94

TOWN SCHOOL DISTRICT.

C. H. Cooke, school books and supplies,	$ 14 40
" " " " " "	31 52
" " " " " "	12 36
" " " " " "	25 10
" " " school district tax,	200 00
" " " school literary fund,	216 25
	$499 63

DAMAGE TO SHEEP BY DOGS.

A. A. Clark, services appraising sheep,	$ 1 50
Oliver Hubbard, " " "	1 50
E. K. Seabury, damage to sheep,	45 00
	$48 00

RECAPITULATION.

Ordinary town charges,		$1,291 35
Roads and bridges,	$1,554 46	
Breaking roads,	359 39—	1,913 85
Town paupers,		364 20
County paupers,		131 50
Dependent soldiers,		131 94
Town school district,		499 63
Damage to sheep by dogs,		48 00
		$4,380 47

RECEIPTS.

Cash in treasury Mar. 1, 1892,	$1,277 70
Eunice Cheever's note,	100 00
Cash received for county pauper claims,	117 64
" borrowed of Bellows Falls National Bank,	783 60

Cash received for county pauper claims,	98 00
" " G. A. R. rent,	30 00
" " " " to Jan. 1, 1893,	30 00
" " state treasurer for savings bank tax,	2,123 01
" " " " literary fund,	208 64
" " for sale of Henry C. Harrington's goods,	12 00
" " rent town hall,	45 50
" " sale school books,	1 80
" warrant for taxes to W. W. Dinsmore, collector,	4,872 84
" interest on taxes,	9 36
Received for highway taxes of 1891,	20 03
" license on dogs,	115 67
" added tax,	1 20
	$9,846 99

EXPENDITURES.

Eunice Cheever's note,	$ 100 00
State tax,	1,385 00
County tax,	1,131 77
Orders issued since Mar. 1, 1892,	4,380 47
Note paid Bellows Falls National Bank,	800 00
Town bond due Jan. 1, 1893,	200 00
July and January interest on bonds,	180 00
Cash in treasury Mar. 1, 1893,	1,669 75
	$9,846 99

INDEBTEDNESS.

Kingsbury fund,	$ 606 06
Due school district for literary fund,	208 64
" fire "	49 30
" town library,	3 21
" for repairs on cemeteries,	41 58
" cemetery in village,	175 00
" town bonds,	3,800 00
" interest on bonds to Mar. 1, 1893,	28 50
	$4,912 29

ASSETS.

Due from county dependent soldiers' claim,	$ 63 85
From county paupers,	49 00
From G. A. R. rent of rooms,	10 00
From Eunice Cheever's note,	100 00
Cash in treasury Mar. 1, 1893,	1,669 75
	$1,892 60
Balance of indebtedness March 1, 1893,	$3,019 69

ESTIMATED EXPENSES FOR 1893.

County tax (estimated),	$1,200 00
State tax,	1,385 00
Schools,	1,400 00
Ordinary town charges,	500 00
Roads and Bridges,	1,300 00

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN F. DICKEY,
F. D. MESSER,
J. S. PROUTY,
Selectmen of Alstead.

The undersigned, a board of auditors, chosen by the town of Alstead to examine the accounts of the officers of said town, hereby certify that we have attended to the duties assigned to us, and find the accounts of the selectmen properly cast and balanced and with proper vouchers therefor.

HENRY A. LOVELL,
A. R. EMERSON,
Auditors of accounts for the town of Alstead.

TREASURER'S REPORT

FOR THE YEAR ENDING MARCH 1, 1893.

Cash in treasury, March 1, 1892,		$1277 70
	Eunice Cheever, note,	100 00
Apr. 13,	Rec'd of selectmen, county pauper and dependent soldier claims,	117 64
	Cash rec'd of Bellows Falls National Bank,	783 60
Oct. 18,	Rec'd of selectmen, county pauper and dependent soldier claims,	98 00
Dec. 28,	Rent of G. A. R. rooms,	60 00
	" town hall,	45 50
	Savings banks tax,	2123 01
	Literary fund,	208 64
	Town clerk, licenses on dogs,	115 67
	Interest on taxes,	9 36
	Highway taxes,	20 03
	Sale of property belonging to H. C. Harrington estate,	12 00
	Added tax,	1 20
	School books sold,	1 80
	Cash rec'd of W. W. Dinsmore, collector,	4872 84
	Total,	$9846 99

Cash paid out of treasury.	
Orders of selectmen,	$4380 47
Paid county tax,	1131 77
" state tax,	1385 00
" Bond due Jan. 1, 1893,	200 00
" July and January interest on bonds,	180 00
" Cash borrowed of Bellows Falls National Bank,	800 00
" Eunice Cheever, note,	100 00
Cash on hand March 1, 1893,	1669 75
Total,	$9846 99

All of which is respectfully submitted,

F. J. MARVIN, TREAS.

The undersigned, a board of auditors chosen by the town of Alstead to examine the accounts of the officers of said town, hereby certify that they have attended to the duties assigned them, and find the accounts of the treasurer properly cast and balanced and with proper vouchers therefor.

HENRY A. LOVELL,
A. R. EMERSON,
Auditors of the town of Alstead.

VITAL STATISTICS.

Births Registered in the Town of Alstead, N. H., for the Year ending Dec. 31, 1892.

Date of Birth.	Name of Child (if any).	Sex and Condition.					Name of Father.	Maiden Name of Mother.	Color of Parents.	Residence of Parents.	Occupation of Father.	Birthplace of Father.	Birthplace of Mother.	Age of Father.	Age of Mother.
		Male.	Female.	Living or Stillborn.	No. of Child 1st, 2d, etc.	Color.									
Jan. 1		M		L		W	Albert P. Clough.	M. C. Chandler	W	Alstead.	Farmer.				
Mar. 17			F	"		"	Ozro B. Cady.	L. M. Vigneau.	"	"	"				
" 29			F	"		"	Edward P. Hatch.	Lilan A. Davis	"	"	"	Alstead.	Langdon.		
May 3		M		"		"	Henry W. Porter.	Margar't Sloan	"	"	"	Cott'nsv'lle, Vt	Scotland.		
" 4			F	"		"	Louis Bourette.	LauraettMiller	"	"	Laborer.	Canada.	Gilsum.		
" 17		M	F	"		"	Charles A. Milliken.	Eva Strickland	"	"	Farmer.	Acworth.	Newportl'd,Me		
Oct. 24				"		"	Daniel Goodenow.	Kate B. Carter.	"	"	Physician.	Lewiston, Me.	Hanover.		
Nov. 23		M		"		"	Charles D. Smith.	Flora E. Smith	"	"	Carpenter.	Orange, Vt.	Lowell, Mass.		

Marriages Registered in the Town of Alstead, N. H., for the Year ending Dec. 31, 1892.

Date of Marriage.	Place of Marriage.	Name and Surn'me of Groom and Bride.	Residence of each at time of Marriage.	Age of each in Years.	Color of each.	Occupation of Groom and Bride.	Place of Birth of each.	Names of Parents.	Birthplace of Parents.	Occupation.	Condition.*	Name, Residence and Official Station of person by whom married.
Mar. 17	Bartonsville Vt	George Hodgkins,	Alstead, N. H.	54		Farmer.	Walpole, N. H.	J.N. Hodgskins			3d	L. D. Foster, (J.)
		Abbie S. Smith.	" "	43		Nurse.					3d	Rockingham, Vt.
June 2	Alstead, N. H.	George Porter,	Bridgeport, Ct.	26		Lumber Mfg.	W'shingt'n, DC	Geo. L. Porter.	Concord, N. H.	Physcian	1st	Rev. T. D. Howard
		Mary A. Walker.	Alstead, N. H.	25			Alstead, N. H.	Jarvis C Walk'r	Langdon, N.H.	Farmer.	1st	Charlestown NH
June 19	Drewsville NH	Geo. E. Dunham,	" "	30		Farmer.	Woodstock, Me	Wm. Dunham.			1st	H. E. Putnam, (J.)
		Mrs. Frances Ann [Chisholm	" "	23		Housework.	[Prn. Edw. I. Skinner Pond,	Jarvis Loird.			2d	Walpole, N. H.
Sept. 19	Alstead, N. H.	James D. Smith,	" "	53		Farmer.	Sharon, Vt.	John Smith.			2d	E. M. Smith, (J.)
		Mary F. Emerson.	" "	43		Housekeeper.	Saxtons Riv. Vt	—— Tower.			2d	Alstead, N. H.
Sept. 28	Newport, N. H.	John Raym'd Jefts	" "	22		Farmer,	Alstead, N. H.	Mason Jefts.			1st	
		Mabel H. Nash.	" "	18			Walpole, N. H.	James L. Nash		Farmer.	1st	
Oct. 10	Alstead, N. H.	Charles Mosdale,	Westminst'r Vt	82	White.	Painter.	London, Eng.	Chas. Mosdale.			1st	Rev. R. H. Burr,
		Maria Lane.	" "	40		Cook.	Plattsburg, N Y	Lorenzo Lane.			2d	Alstead, N. H.
		Turton Hill,	Holland, Vt.	46		Farmer.	Barnstead, P Q	Holly Hill.			2d	
		Mrs. Emma Hart- [well	Alstead, N. H.	42		Housekeeper.	Westfield, Vt.	Oct've Dem'rse	Barford, P. Q.	Farmer.	2d	
		Milan D. Royce,	" "	32		Carpenter.	Alstead, N. H.	David Royce.	Alstead, N. H.	"	1st	
		Nellie F. Andrews.	Walpole, N. H.	33			Chest'rfi'ld NH	—— Andrews.			2d	
Nov. 18	E. Alstead, NH	James F. Cady,	Alstead, N. H.	22		Farmer.	Alstead, N. H.	Fr'nklin O Cady	Alstead, N. H.	Farmer.	1st	Rev. Aaron Porter
		Sarah L. Dragoon.	Hinsdale, N.H.	21			Hinsdale, N.H.	Chas. Dragoon.		"	1st	E. Alstead, N.H.

*Whether single, married or widowed. What marriage—whether 1st, 2d, &c.

Deaths Registered in the Town of Alstead, N. H., for the Year ending Dec. 31, 1892.

Date of Death.	Name and Surn'me of the Deceased.	Age. Years.	Months.	Days.	Place of Birth.	Sex and Conditi'n Male.	Female.	Color.	S., M., W.*	Occupation.	Place of Death.	Disease or Cause of Death.
Feb. 5	Maria Caldwell,	92	7	8	Hudson, N. H.		F		W		Alstead, N. H.	Old Age.
" 6	John W. Taylor,	52	4	6	New York State.	M			M	Artist.	East Alstead, N. H.	Consumption.
" 14	Priscilla A. Wood,	74		7	Unity, N. H.		F		M		Alstead, N. H.	Influenza.
" 15	John Q. Fuller,	70	11	5	Winchester,N.H.	M			S	Civil Engineer	" "	"
" 20	Mark A. Ramsey,	63	9	12	Marlow, N. H.	M			S	Laborer.	" "	"
" 21	Edwin Wood,	78	11	3		M			W	Farmer.	" "	"
Mar. 4	Helen Sophia Holt	55	2	14	Alstead, N. H.		F		W	Housewife.	" "	Urinic Poisoning.
" 15	C. S. Angier,	55			Langdon, N. H,	M			M	Wheelwright.	" "	Consumption.
" 20	John Murphy,	70	3	13	Alstead, N. H.	M			S	Retir'd Farmer	" "	Cerebral Meningeal Hemorrhage.
Apr. 7	Rowena Ellis,	66		3	Troy, N. H,		F		M	Housewife.	" "	Pneumonia.
May 18	William Cady,	86	2	2	Alstead, N. H.	M			W	Farmer.	" "	Bright's Disease.
" 30	Susan D. Bragg,	72		8	Surry, N. H.		F	White.	M	Housewife.	" "	Inflammation of Brain.
July 7	Henry Harrington	68	2	2	Alstead, N. H.	M			W	Painter.	" "	Cerebral Embolism.
Aug. 31	Willard S. Cady,	67	4	13	Langdon, N. H.	M			M	Wool Carder.	" "	Ulcerated and Bleeding Piles.
Sept. 16	Byron O. Marvin,	49		4	Alstead, N. H.	M			M	Painter.	" "	Cerebral Hemorrhage.
" 19	Laura Ett Bourette	35	7	15	Gilsum, N. H.		F		M	Housewife.	" "	Pneumonia.
Oct. 11	Nathaniel Bean,	76	4	6	Sutton, Vt.	M			M	Farmer.	" "	Asthma and General Weakness.
Dec. 28	Ellen Hatch,	92					F		W		" "	Neuralgia of the Heart.

*Single, Married or Widowed.

I hereby certify that the foregoing transcript of births, marriages and deaths is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

FRED L. PRENTISS, Town Clerk.

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